# The Intelligencer.

m Uncle Joe Gist, the delegate from

\$279,011

\$148,392.26 Any manufacturer can see from this tatement that what the Belmont needs is working capital to supply what has been aduly drained out of it. Its enpand that those who hold the balance of tions on a successful basis. 4 a short time we shall see this old and that are taxed as heretofore.

Suppose a man in Wheeling should

The vote of the House on the bill preented by Mr. Burchard, of Illinois, to is-

would be considered next to instant in the same by Mr. Burchard, of Illinois, to issue by Mr. Burchard, of Illinois, to issue this proportly felded him nothing, we sty millions of bonds to provide for suppose a man owning thirty thousands are all land in Webster should sell, at a kill can be carried through by an an analysis, and it is the intention of the Appropriation Consultate to report it appropriating Consultate to report it appropriating five million dellars for for taxxion. It is an an an analysis of the suppose and the suppose

introduced to provide means of paying the arrears of pensions. One calls for the appropriation of \$100,000,000 to pay these pensions, but suggests no way to get the money into the Treasury to do it. An a other appropriates \$20,000,000, and another calls for the issuance of \$40,000,000 four per cent bonds. This shows the difference of opinion among the members as to what amount will be required.

The assessors in each county where these lands lie to note all the transfer lie to note all the assessors in each collain.

### BARNESVILLE.

Baily and Hon. John Laughlin, was

the question of removal of the County. Seat at this time, and regard such agitation as unwarranted and inopportune. Resolved, That the expenditure of \$150,000 or more, in addition to the already high rate of taxation, which would be required for the erection of new buildings, would prove most oppressive and burdensome to the tax-payers of the county. Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to each of the Representatives and the Senator of Belmont county at the State Legislature, and also to each of the Representatives and the senator of publication.

than that considerable property belonging to Dr. Hollingsworth, was burned, and that some buildings had to be torn down to prevent it spreading, which were totally distressed.

for educational purposes is ill-timed and ital stock is \$300,000, of which can come from no friend of the common the company now own (since the schools. It will be so oppressive that it labr purchase) say \$50,000. We under-will endanger the whole system.

The object is to raise money for coun the stock are ready to scale it down ties sparsely inhabited, supposed to be Union Mine, who are out on a strike, my decidedly in order to induce capital not wealthy. The trouble in these counsapply the means necessary to enable ties is that large amounts of lands are held to work in the mines until their demands the concern to conduct its opera- by wealthy men as wild lands, which have are acceded to. Last night a number of The been always heretofore esteemed unpro-Present card for nails, (\$2 15) affords a ductive and have been taxed at nominal sargin for profit, and the Belmont has values. Why? Because they say they shown in times past that when there was are unproductive? What a delusion! Is viney at all in mails she could earn her a clock, watch or musical instrument probir share. All in all, it is a fine property ductive? Are some of your nail mills in and the reputation of the nails most ex- Wheeling, where hundreds of thousands Mant. We trust that the re-organization of dollars are invested, productive? Ask nal Revenue officers last night discovered that has been initiated will be carried for the stockholders to exhibit their receipt an illict distillery in the basement of sant to a successful conclusion, and that books showing their dividends! Yet they

only worthy of its eventful and success- build a house valued at \$10,000 for taxaon it that no person would occupy it, he would be considered next to insane if he would claim exemption from taxation be cause his property yielded him nothing.

the children of those counties, and this will be an eminently just mode of taxa-tion. These children are working to ap-preciate the value of these wild lands and why not tax said lands to pay for their ed-ucation.

And while on this subject, I ask in all candor and justice, will the Legislature of the State persist in taxing the people to keep up the State University at Morgantown. It is oppression to tax the poor to educate the sons of the rich. It is oppression to tax anybody to educate the lawyers and doctors of the country. A lawyer or doctor is of no more account than a carpenter or blacksmith. Why not give \$500 to every young man who goes to work on the farm or in the shop when he is 21 years old, as well as give it to edn.

### WEST ALEXANDER.

WEST ALEXANDER, PA., Feb. 4. citizen and also as a teacher. He was well

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suit against the United States Life Insurthe City Press Association, in the Supreme the People be Taxed to Educate Young
Men at a University.

Editors intelligencer.

The People be Taxed to Educate Young
Court of Kings county. An order of arrest was asked and obtained against Brosman only, an arrest of the co-defendants Effiors Intelligencer.

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CINCINNATI, February 4 .- A Coshocton

Ohio, dispatch says: The miners of the threaten violence to any one attempting miners who were down in the mines were assaulted upon their coming out and would have been badly beaten but for the interference of the police. The town is full of drunken miners. Further trouble anticipated.

A Quiet Little Distillery Unearthed.

Francisco, February 4.-The Interrestaurant on Dupont street, conducted restaurant on Dupont street, conducted by Louis Mumbert. The apparatus was in full working order. The spirits, imple-ments, &c., were captured and the pro-prietor lodged in jail. The property, which will be forfeited to the government, is valued at about \$10,000.

## Indiana Greenbackers Organizing.

INDIANAPOLIS, February 4.—The Central

## BY TELEGRAPH.

## **GENERAL NEWS**

Secrets of the Executive Session on the New York Nominations.

How the Great Little Conkling De-

The Ass Stripped of His Lion's Skin.

The Terrible Plague Still Spreads

The Labor Troubles in England and

Edmunds' Resolution Discussed in

in the House.

### WASHINGTON

Washington, February 4.—Presiden layes received many congratulations to lay upon the confirmation of the New

THE STATESMANSHIP OF THE HOUSE

opened till afters, and for the entire seven

they had been read to influence the Senate, and as part of the proceedings, and it was only proper that they should be regarded as belonging to the record. Mr. Mr. Conkling, however, took possession of them, and declared they should not be made public. The Senate could not help liself, and after considerable discussion it was finally agreed to remove the injunction of secrecy from the votes only. In regard to the mass of letters ke produced, a number of them will appear as very indiscreet, but Mr. Conkling's construction of many of them was

FORCED AND UNWORTHY OF A SENATOR. His friends now threaten loudly that the Senate shall at once institute an in-quiry into the means used by the adminis-ration to secure the confirmation. There

## CONGRESS.

DEBATE ON EDMUNDS' RESOLUTION.

After reports from Committee on Postoffices and Postroads, Committee on Privileges and Elections, Committee on Foreign Relations, Committee on Finance,
and a speech at length by Mr. Coke in
favor of constructing a railroad to the
Rio Grande, consideration was resumed
of the resolutions of Mr. Edmunds declaring the validity of the 13th 14th and

words it was a clear and almost
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TO the Democrate, rather than have the
administration succeed. The idea of acquiring control of the matter was at first
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Arr. Editions opposed the motion for an Executive session, and hoped his resolutions would be disposed of to-day.

The motion of Mr. Garland was agreed to—yeas 28, nays 18 and the Senate went into Executive session. When the doors were re-opened the Senate adjourned.

## DISCUSSION OF THE ARMY BILL.

House went into committee of the whole on the army appropriation bill. Whit-thorne's amendment reducing the army to 15,000 was defeated. Mr. Cox, of New York, moved to amend

fixing force at 17,000, and spoke in favor

of it.

Mr. Cox's amendment was defeated without division, and Mr. Durham's by a yote of 65 to 118.

Without further action the committee rose, and the House took a recess until 7 r. M.—the evening session to be for the consideration of the Mississippi levee bill.

At the evening session the House went into Committee of the Whole (Mr. Carliste in the chair) on the Mississippi levee bill.

Mr. Reagan advocated an amendment which he offered directing the commission to consider and report on the practice.

which he offered directing the commission to consider and report on the practicability of improving the navigation, deepining the channel and redeeming the alluvial lands of the Mississippi by means

that alludes to the plants.

Are committee rose and reported the bill and pending amendments to the House.

The main question was ordered, and House at 10:45 adjourned.

Arcest of a St. Louis Coal OH Inspector.

St. Louis, February 4.—A good deal of excitement in political and official circles of excitement in political and official circles of the orevalls here to-day in consequence of the core of the control of the contro

or Cullom to-day telegraphed President Hayes, saying that the action of the Brit-

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## Financial and Commercial.

and over \$3 40. Casing and Box, 10d to 30d, \$2 90, 8d \$3 15,6d \$3 44, 4d \$4 25, 3d \$4 05. Fine Blued, 4d \$39, 3d \$4 15, 2d \$5 00. Lining, 34 h in, \$3 05, 34 in, \$3 15. Tolsacco lind, 10d \$2 50, 5 lin, \$3 05, 34 in, \$3 15. Tolsacco lind, 10d \$2 50, 5 lin, \$3 05, 34 in, \$3 15. Tolsacco lind, 10d \$2 50, 5 lin, \$3 05, 34 in, \$3 15. Citich, all sizes \$3 90. Use the state of the state

the Black Sea coasts the ice is gathered in for-midable quantity. The harbor of Odessa is closed. The American visible supply keeps very large—of wheat 2,450,000 quarters are stored at the principal grain centers.

ANTWERP, February 4 .- PRIROLEUM - Re CHICAGO, February 4.—The Drovers' Journal

CIMCAOO, FEDILARY 4.—ABE BISTON CONTROL TO THE PROPERS :
HOOS—Receipts 22,000 head; shipments 6,000 head. Steady and 6c higher. Choice \$3 Om 4 00; light \$3 50m3 75; mixel \$3 0m3 60. CATLE—Receipts 2,000 head; shipments 600 head. Fairly active and a shado higher; shipping \$3 0m3 12 25; butchers' steady; cows \$2 0003 10; steers \$2 0003 50; bulls \$2 0003 20. Shirke—Receipts 2,200 head; shipments 370 head. Steady at 2\% a5 \% c. Philadelphia Wool.

Allegheny Cattle Allegheny Cattle.

RAST Liberty. February 4.—Cattle—Receipts to-day 323 head, all for this market. No through stock. Supply light and nearly all sold. Market strong at last week's prices. Hoos—Receipts to-day 1,540 head; Yorkers \$3 75a3 90; Philadelphias \$4 00a4 20.

Birkey—Receipts to-day 0,200 head Supply liberal. Market slow at about last week's prices.

Toleno, February 4.—Wheat—Easy; amber Michigan spot or February 94c; March 93%c; No. 2 amber Michigan 90%c; No. 2 rad winter spot or February 94%c; March 93%c; April 97%c; No. 3 red 90%c; western amber itse; No. 2 amber Illinois 88%c. Corn—Quiet; No. 2 held at 33%, 33c bid. Oats—Steady; No. 2 at 25c. Hogs—Dull and nominal.

# Dry Goods,

Cincinnati Hog Market. Ciscinnati, February 4.—Hogs—Demand fair and market firm; common \$3 00a3 40; light \$3 50a3 70; packing \$3 70a3 90; butchers' \$5 90a1 00. Receipts 1,200 head; shipments

# Sr. Louis, February 4.—Hoos—Higher; Yorkers and Baltimores \$3 45a5 65; packing \$3 60a3 80; fancy heavy \$3 90a4 90. Receipts 4,500 head; shipments 1,500 head.

# PRACTICAL CHEMIST.

prepared to make careful and complete

BLANK BOOKS The DAILY INTELLI-gener Book Bindery does better work of all tinds these any office in West Virginia.

meeting was called to order by Hon. John

petition.

The above are the exact figures of the canvass so far as known, and I learn from a reliable source that a majority of the voters of Bridgeport, and a good many in Martin's Ferry have signed the remon-

tion, but should put so high a rental price

A Cordon of Military Guard the Rus sian Frontier.

the Senate. Defeat of the Army Reduction Bill

Question.
Springfield, I.L., February 4.—Gover-

OFFICE DAILY INTELLIGENCER,
WHEELING, THESDRY, February 4.
Wholesale trade was moderate to-day, with

of outlets into the Gulf of Mexico.

After debate, Mr. Sparks offered an Half Caiss, 500 lbs.; Theres, 350 lbs.; llarreis, 250 lbs.;

Haltimore Live Stock Market. MARYLAND LIVE STOCK SCALES, February 3, 1878.

GOVERNMENT 

RAILBOAD BONDS-Firm. State Boyne—Dull.

Stocks—The market was irregular in the main and lower during the morning, with the greatest decline in C. C. C. & I., which fell off from 43to 39½. The balance of the list fell kall% per cent. Shortly after noon the temper of speculation became strong and continued so until the close of business. The advance from the lowest point ranged from ½42½. Northwestern, St. Paul, Lake Shore, Erie, Lackawanna, New York Central and Western Union were the most active stocks.

Western Union were the most active stocks. Quicksilver was firm—its friends hoping for a favorable decision in the pending suit in the Supreme Court.

Transactions aggregated 257,000 shares, of which 42,000 were Erie, 46,000 Lake Shore, 3,000 Wahash, 20,000 Northwestern common, 18,000 uncerted 35,000 Northwestern common.

English Crops.

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Lonnox, February 4.—The Mark Lane Expers says: The deliveries of English wheat during the past for inght were fully an average for the past ten years. The recent deliveries of barley have been equal to a full average for a discovery of barley have been equal to a full average for the sequence of barrey as a specific to the price of barrey as good dealt higher then than now, but it was chiefly owing to its superiority. Fine the was a good dealt higher then than now, but it was chiefly owing to its superiority. Fine the barrey, soud color, its exceptionally scarca this year, and the large sales of poor stuff seriously depress the average for the best tots of malting a parter than the rates currents year ago. Oats in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; imported oats have never been so in the country are cheaper than at any time since 1870; importe

Philadelphia Wool.

Philadelphia, Feb. 4.—Wool—Quiet and firm; Ohlo, Prennsylvania and West Virginia XX and above, 34a36c; X, 34a36c; medium, 36a37c; coarse, 30a31c; New York, Michigan and Indiana fine, 36a38c; medium, 35a38c; coarse, 30a31c; combing washed, 35a 42c; combing unwashed, 25a27c; Canada combing, 36c; fine unwashed, 21a23c; coarse and medium, 22a28c.

New Yone, February 4.—Business with commission houses is active. Prints are in fair request. Ginghams are in active request and well sold up in some makes. Brown and bleached cotton fine grades in good demand. Print cloths firm and quiet. Wooleus slow.

CHARLES E. DWIGHT.

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